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PART IV.

Legislative Measures and Rules thereunder.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. P. 2777—Legis. 2-40-41, dated Bangalore, the 26th November 1940.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of Rule 92 of the Defence of India Rules, as applied to Mysore, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja hereby order every person who owns any balance or balances, whether held in Mysore or abroad, expressed in the currency of the United States of America, to offer or cause to be offered, before the expiration of one month from the date of this order, such balance or balances for sale to the Reserve Bank of India on behalf of the Central Government at any of the offices of the said Bank at Bombay, Calcutta, Madras, Karachi and Delhi against payment of the equivalent value in rupees calculated on a basis, which, in the opinion of the Reserve Bank of India, represents the current buying rate for telegraphic transfers on the United States of America:

Provided that this order shall not apply to dealers in foreign exchange and cotton dealers authorised by the

Reserve Bank of India in this behalf and to persons not being subjects of His Highness the Maharaja, His Majesty the King Emperor or of an Indian State, who, in the opinion of the Reserve Bank of India are residents in Mysore for purposes of business only.

No. R. 3604—*L. R.* 327-40-6, *dated Bangalore, the 22nd November* 1940.

Under Section 233 of the Land Revenue Code and in pursuance of the orders issued in Government Order No. Camp R. 87-96—L. R. 349-39, dated 12th October 1940, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to direct that Rule 43(1), Note to Rule 43, and Appendix P of the Land Revenue Rules be amended as follows:—

(1) The following shall be substituted for the existing Rule 43 (1):—

"All lands shall be sold by public auction after observing the prescribed formalities. But subject to the following limits as regards the extent and the value of the lands, the Sub-Division Officers, Deputy Commissioners and the Revenue Commissioner may, in special cases, grant an occupancy at an upset price to any *bona fide* applicant who is an agriculturist or proposes to cultivate the land himself, when they are satisfied that, in the event of a public auction being held, advantage may be taken of the needs of the applicant to force up the price:—

Sub-Division Officers up to four acres, the value not exceeding Rs. 100;

Deputy Commissioner up to 20 acres, the value not exceeding Rs. 400; and

Revenue Commissioner up to 50 acres, the value not exceeding Rs. 1,000.

In cases exceeding the above limits, the sanction of Government shall be necessary for the grant of lands at an upset price. These concessions are not to be shown to absentees and to people speculating in lands."

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(2) For the Note to Rule 43 of the Land Revenue Rules, the following shall be substituted :—

"Amildars are empowered to sanction, either free or for upset price to landless members of the depressed classes, two acres of cultivable dry land, though the entire extent including the phut kharab when phoded may be in excess of two acres, provided the value of the land does not exceed Rs. 25. The Sub-Division Officers may, similarly, grant lands not exceeding four acres in extent to landless members of the depressed classes provided the value does not exceed Rs. 50."

(3) In paragraph 1 of Appendix P of the Land Revenue Rules, '100' shall be substituted for '50' wherever it occurs.

By Order,
B. T. KESAVIENGAR,
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. G. 4521—*P. H.* 144-39-2, *dated Bangalore, the 22nd November* 1940.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to publish, for the information of the public, the following rules framed under Section 15 of Act VIII of 1936 for the suppression of brothels and immoral traffic in the Mysore State.

By Order,
C. E. NORONHA,
Secretary to Government, Development Department.